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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed on January 25, 2006. Please amend the application in the following particulars.

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**CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office, (571) 273-8300, on April 25, 2006.

  
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